

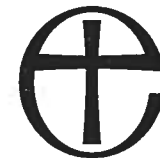
Church Statistics

Parochial Membership and Finance Statistics
January to December 1998

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FOREWORD

Introduction

This edition of *Church Statistics* contains details of parochial statistics for the calendar year 1998. As always thanks are due to the dioceses and the parishes whose co-operation in processing and completing the annual returns remains crucial to the successful gathering of the information required for this publication. This edition continues to include as much appropriate information as possible from the diocese of Europe.

The next edition of the publication '*Statistics of Licensed Ministers*', to be published in the summer of 2000, will provide a comprehensive description of the Church's ministry as at 31 December 1999.

Finance

The Charities Act 1993 and the associated Church Accounting Regulations 1997 provided new requirements for Church accounts for 1997. To help PCCs prepare their accounts and to simplify the completion of the Annual Finance Return, a new return form was devised for the 1998 data.

For 1998 PCCs that followed the categories for incoming and expended resources in the Church's guidance on PCC accounts found that the same categories were used in the return form. Completion of the return form should, therefore, only have required the copying of some figures and the addition of others. For the first time, the form required information about both unrestricted funds (largely the PCC's General Fund) and restricted funds.

This improvement in the collection of data has meant that the results are not comparable with information for previous years. The unrestricted funds for 1998 are largely comparable with the data for previous years. They show a continuing increase in direct giving of 13% which is above inflation and above the increase in average earnings. For the Church as a whole in 1998, 78% of the ordinary unrestricted income of parishes came from planned giving, tax refunds on covenants, donations, collections and fund-raising. Of the total direct giving in 1998 (money coming from planned giving and collections) 54% was tax efficient – that is given under covenant. Weekly average giving per donor in a tax-efficient way has at last broken through the £6 barrier at £6.37, which is an increase of 7% on the average for 1997.

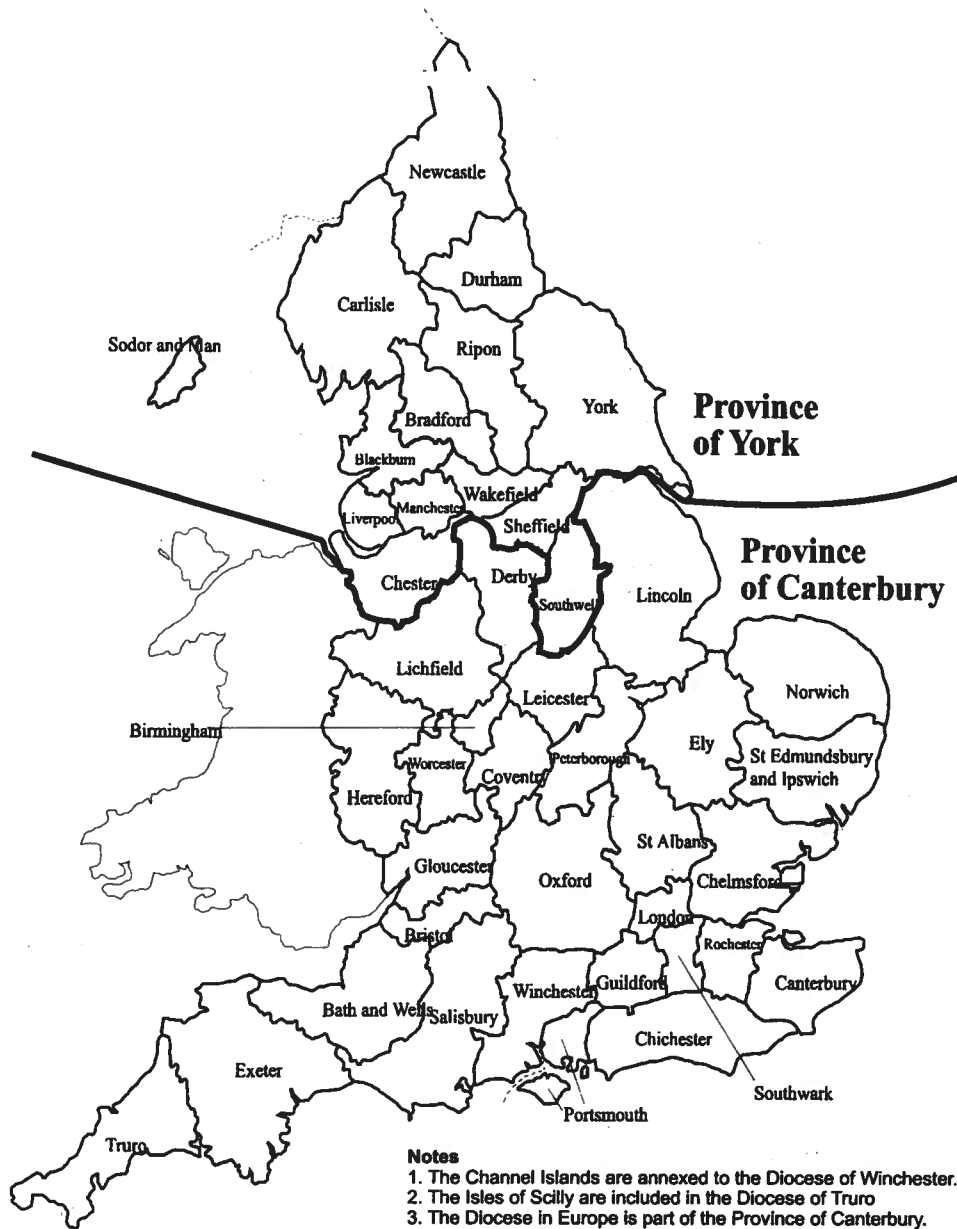
The restricted funds were not previously reported and so figures for the Church as a whole for 1998 have been included in table 7 on page 11. Restricted income of PCCs for the year 1998 is approximately 21% of their total income. As these data are gathered in future years we shall have an improved picture of all the giving to the Church.

In two years' time we will be able to report on the new arrangements for recovering tax, which moved in 2000 from the deed of covenant to revised Gift Aid. It is hoped that the improved flexibility of the arrangements will not only encourage increased giving but greatly increased recovery of income or capital gains tax that has been already paid on the donation.

Membership Statistics

Membership statistics for 1998 follow the same broad trends seen over recent years. Between 1997 and 1998 the number of people on church electoral rolls increased by 1.7% while the total adult usual Sunday attendance decreased by 1.5%. This latter measure does not take into account changing patterns of church attendance and its appropriateness is under review. Easter Day communicants rose by 1.8% whereas communicants on Christmas Day dropped by 2.6%. The number of baptisms of teenagers and adults increased by 2.8% while the number of baptisms of children and infants decreased by 6%. These statistics do not adequately reflect the whole ministry of the Church. Since 1998 the Statistics Review Group, chaired by the Bishop of Wakefield, has been engaged in the process of evaluating the various statistics used to describe participation in the life of the Church. Its recommendations if approved by General Synod will begin to be implemented with the collection of 2000 data.

Statistics Unit
June 2000

**Notes**

1. The Channel Islands are annexed to the Diocese of Winchester.
2. The Isles of Scilly are included in the Diocese of Truro.
3. The Diocese in Europe is part of the Province of Canterbury. It has clergy and congregations in the rest of Europe, Morocco, Turkey and the Asian countries of the former Soviet Union.

DEFINITIONS**Income**

In the tables relating to finance, components of income and expenditure are defined as follows :

Total planned giving	= net covenants including regular Gift Aid donations and non-covenanted planned giving, e.g. through envelope schemes.
Total direct giving	= planned giving plus church collections and boxes.
Other voluntary income	= all other voluntary income for ordinary expenditure excluding direct giving and income tax on covenants. e.g. fund-raising events, net profit on magazine/bookstall, sundry donations.
Total voluntary income	= direct giving plus income tax on covenants plus other voluntary income.
Other ordinary income	= dividends and interest, recurring diocesan and other grants, and all other income for expenditure on ordinary purposes of the PCC, net surplus from church hall or other buildings, income from endowments or trust funds if used for ordinary purposes.
Total ordinary income	= total voluntary income plus other ordinary income.

Expenditure

The Church Overseas	= payments to : (a) the recognised missionary societies, or other overseas missions, diocesan associations Diocesan Mission Councils. (b) Christian organisations primarily concerned with relief and development.
Home Missions	= payments to home missions and other Church societies and organisations, (including the Church Urban Fund).
Other Charities	= payments to other charities which are secularly based.
Total ordinary expenditure	= the total of ALL expenditure (including charitable giving) for the ordinary purposes of the PCC. i.e. excluding only non-recurring items of capital expenditure and non-revenue items.

Please also note that :

1. Whilst many figures in this booklet have been rounded, totals, percentages and averages were calculated before rounding. Hence row and column totals will not always agree exactly with the sum of the stated amounts.
2. Among the 13,000 parishes of the Church of England there are around 750 Local Ecumenical Projects in roughly half of which there is a congregation and a ministry shared between the Church of England and certain other churches. In such circumstances it is not always possible (or indeed desirable) to isolate the Anglican component of the congregation. The parochial statistics will therefore include a small element which may appear also in the statistics of other churches.
3. Where figures are not available for any reason, "n.a." appears in the tables.

DIOCESAN
Provinces of Canterbury
For sources

Ref. No.	Diocese	Population ('000's) (mid-1998)		Area (mils ²)	Population density (persons per mile ²)
1	2	3	*	4	*
1	Bath and Wells	C	848 (27)	1,614 (11)	524 (30)
2	Birmingham	C	1,432 (12)	292 (41)	4,905 (3)
3	Blackburn	Y	1,283 (14)	878 (27)	1,462 (16)
4	Bradford	Y	857 (36)	920 (26)	714 (27)
5	Bristol	C	883 (25)	474 (36)	1,862 (9)
6	Canterbury	C	829 (28)	970 (25)	854 (26)
7	Carlisle	Y	487 (41)	2,477 (4)	197 (42)
8	Chelmsford	C	2,674 (2)	1,531 (12)	1,747 (12)
9	Chester	Y	1,576 (8)	1,017 (22)	1,549 (13)
10	Chichester	C	1,498 (10)	1,459 (14)	1,027 (22)
11	Coventry	C	766 (34)	686 (30)	1,117 (20)
12	Derby	C	989 (21)	997 (23)	992 (24)
13	Durham	Y	1,481 (11)	987 (24)	1,501 (14)
14	Ely	C	644 (37)	1,507 (13)	428 (34)
15	Exeter	C	1,067 (19)	2,575 (3)	414 (37)
16	Gloucester	C	594 (39)	1,140 (20)	521 (31)
17	Guildford	C	947 (22)	538 (35)	1,760 (10)
18	Hereford	C	307 (42)	1,680 (10)	185 (43)
19	Leicester	C	892 (24)	835 (29)	1,069 (21)
20	Lichfield	C	1,989 (5)	1,744 (9)	1,140 (19)
21	Lincoln	C	933 (23)	2,673 (1)	349 (40)
22	Liverpool	Y	1,566 (9)	389 (39)	4,025 (5)
23	London	C	3,478 (1)	277 (42)	12,555 (1)
24	Manchester	Y	1,963 (6)	415 (37)	4,731 (4)
25	Newcastle	Y	782 (32)	2,110 (6)	371 (38)
26	Norwich	C	810 (30)	1,804 (8)	449 (33)
27	Oxford	C	2,109 (4)	2,221 (5)	949 (25)
28	Peterborough	C	766 (33)	1,149 (19)	667 (28)
29	Portsmouth	C	715 (35)	408 (38)	1,753 (11)
30	Ripon & Leeds	Y	785 (31)	1,359 (17)	577 (29)
31	Rochester	C	1,195 (17)	542 (34)	2,205 (6)
32	St. Albans	C	1,659 (7)	1,116 (21)	1,487 (15)
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	C	599 (38)	1,439 (15)	416 (36)
34	Salisbury	C	854 (26)	2,046 (7)	417 (35)
35	Sheffield	Y	1,196 (16)	576 (32)	2,077 (7)
36	Sodor and Man	Y	73 (43)	221 (43)	328 (41)
37	Southwark	C	2,388 (3)	317 (40)	7,532 (2)
38	Southwell	Y	1,040 (20)	847 (28)	1,228 (17)
39	Truro	C	491 (40)	1,390 (16)	353 (39)
40	Wakefield	Y	1,082 (18)	557 (33)	1,942 (8)
41	Winchester	C	1,227 (15)	1,216 (18)	1,009 (23)
42	Worcester	C	815 (29)	671 (31)	1,215 (18)
43	York	Y	1,359 (13)	2,661 (2)	511 (32)
Totals Province of Canterbury (C)			34,396	35,291	976
Totals Province of York (Y)			16,330	16,414	995
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND			49,726	50,705	981

* The right hand set of figures in each column gives the magnitude, in descending order, of the left hand figures. Thus in column 3, Bath and Wells is the 27th most populous diocese, Birmingham is the 12th.

OTHER NOTES :

- Col. 2 : C and Y denote dioceses in the Provinces of Canterbury and York respectively.
 Col. 3 : Population figures are based on 1998 mid-year estimates from the Office for National Statistics (ONS) © Crown Copyright 1999
 Col. 4 : Area figures are calculated from material supplied by ONS and the Church Commissioners.

STATISTICS
and York (excluding Europe)

see below

Number of :			Full Time stipendiary parochial clergy 1998 (men and women)	Number of stipendiary parochial clergy per :	
Benefices	Parishes	Churches		Parish	1000 Population
6	7	8	9	10	11
216 (15)	482 (6)	571 (9)	234 (13)	0.49 (35)	0.28 (4)
156 (31)	169 (37)	195 (40)	200 (19)	1.18 (2)	0.14 (43)
213 (16)	239 (28)	287 (29)	225 (15)	0.94 (9)	0.18 (24)
114 (42)	132 (42)	167 (42)	113 (41)	0.86 (15)	0.17 (27)
116 (41)	165 (38)	207 (39)	144 (34)	0.87 (13)	0.16 (30)
157 (30)	273 (22)	330 (24)	179 (25)	0.66 (28)	0.22 (14)
169 (25)	270 (23)	350 (21)	140 (35)	0.52 (32)	0.29 (3)
356 (2)	485 (5)	608 (6)	382 (3)	0.79 (19)	0.14 (40)
238 (12)	278 (21)	376 (19)	273 (8)	0.98 (8)	0.17 (25)
298 (5)	391 (12)	517 (10)	324 (6)	0.83 (16)	0.22 (13)
141 (34)	196 (32)	242 (35)	132 (37)	0.67 (25)	0.17 (26)
179 (23)	252 (26)	332 (23)	169 (27)	0.67 (26)	0.17 (28)
229 (14)	254 (25)	300 (28)	220 (17)	0.87 (14)	0.15 (39)
240 (11)	311 (17)	343 (22)	146 (32)	0.47 (37)	0.23 (9)
234 (13)	504 (4)	621 (4)	241 (11)	0.48 (36)	0.23 (10)
163 (28)	326 (16)	402 (16)	161 (29)	0.49 (34)	0.27 (5)
151 (32)	162 (39)	216 (38)	183 (22)	1.13 (4)	0.19 (18)
127 (37)	352 (14)	424 (13)	109 (42)	0.31 (43)	0.36 (1)
137 (35)	243 (27)	330 (24)	148 (31)	0.61 (30)	0.17 (29)
299 (4)	425 (10)	583 (7)	349 (4)	0.82 (17)	0.18 (23)
249 (9)	514 (3)	648 (2)	208 (18)	0.40 (41)	0.22 (12)
197 (19)	209 (31)	257 (33)	236 (12)	1.13 (5)	0.15 (37)
407 (1)	411 (11)	480 (11)	517 (1)	1.28 (1)	0.15 (38)
275 (8)	304 (18)	366 (20)	275 (7)	0.90 (12)	0.14 (42)
137 (35)	178 (35)	251 (34)	139 (36)	0.78 (21)	0.18 (22)
209 (18)	577 (2)	648 (2)	181 (24)	0.31 (42)	0.22 (11)
325 (3)	630 (1)	820 (1)	429 (2)	0.68 (23)	0.20 (15)
166 (27)	356 (13)	381 (17)	149 (30)	0.42 (39)	0.19 (16)
127 (37)	142 (41)	174 (41)	115 (40)	0.81 (18)	0.16 (34)
125 (39)	158 (40)	263 (32)	146 (32)	0.92 (11)	0.19 (19)
193 (20)	216 (30)	265 (31)	232 (14)	1.07 (7)	0.19 (17)
241 (10)	335 (15)	410 (14)	262 (9)	0.78 (20)	0.16 (36)
179 (23)	443 (9)	479 (12)	182 (23)	0.41 (40)	0.30 (2)
184 (21)	453 (8)	580 (8)	196 (20)	0.43 (38)	0.23 (8)
159 (29)	178 (35)	225 (37)	194 (21)	1.09 (6)	0.16 (31)
28 (43)	27 (43)	43 (43)	18 (43)	0.67 (27)	0.25 (6)
290 (8)	297 (20)	380 (18)	339 (5)	1.14 (3)	0.14 (41)
184 (21)	258 (24)	315 (26)	168 (28)	0.65 (29)	0.16 (32)
144 (33)	224 (29)	315 (26)	119 (39)	0.53 (31)	0.24 (7)
168 (28)	188 (34)	241 (36)	174 (26)	0.93 (10)	0.16 (33)
211 (17)	303 (19)	407 (15)	225 (15)	0.74 (22)	0.18 (20)
121 (40)	190 (33)	281 (30)	129 (38)	0.68 (24)	0.16 (35)
278 (7)	478 (7)	610 (5)	246 (10)	0.51 (33)	0.18 (21)
6,016	9,827	12,189	6,384	0.65	0.19
2,614	3,151	4,051	2,567	0.81	0.17
8,530	12,978	16,240	8,951	0.69	0.19

Col. 6 : Benefices with parishes attached as listed in the Parish Register maintained by the Statistics Unit.

Col. 7,8 : As listed in the Parish Register maintained by the Statistics Unit. Includes 81 churches with no building.

Col. 9 : As at 31 December 1998. Source: Church Commissioners. Does not include 131 part-timers

NOTE The Diocese in Europe is composed of 260 separate congregations.

FULL-TIME DIOCESAN

Provinces of Canterbury

Compiled from information

m = men, w = women

Ref. No.	Diocese	Numbers of full-time diocesan clergy										
		Dignitaries (including beneficed)										
		Diocesan Bishops		Suffragan and Assistant Bishops		Archdeacons	Cathedrals			TOTAL Dignitaries		
		m	w	m	w		Deans and Provosts	Other Clergy	m			w
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12			
1	Bath and Wells	C	1	1	2	0	1	0	3	8	0	
2	Birmingham	C	1	1	2	0	1	0	2	1	7	
3	Blackburn	Y	1	3	2	0	1	0	4	11	0	
4	Bradford	Y	1	0	2	0	1	0	2	6	0	
5	Bristol	C	1	1	1	0	1	0	3	7	0	
6	Canterbury	C	0	2	2	0	1	0	3	8	0	
7	Carlisle	Y	1	1	3	0	0	0	3	8	0	
8	Chelmsford	C	1	3	4	0	1	0	3	1	12	
9	Chester	Y	1	3	2	0	1	0	4	11	0	
10	Chichester	C	1	2	3	0	1	0	2	9	0	
11	Coventry	C	1	1	2	0	1	0	2	1	7	
12	Derby	C	1	0	2	0	1	0	3	7	0	
13	Durham	Y	1	1	3	0	1	0	4	10	0	
14	Ely	C	1	1	3	0	1	0	3	1	9	
15	Exeter	C	1	2	4	0	1	0	3	11	0	
16	Gloucester	C	1	1	2	0	1	0	3	1	8	
17	Guildford	C	1	1	2	0	1	0	1	1	6	
18	Hereford	C	1	1	1	0	1	0	3	7	0	
19	Leicester	C	0	1	2	0	1	0	3	7	0	
20	Lichfield	C	1	3	4	0	1	0	2	11	0	
21	Lincoln	C	1	2	2	0	1	0	3	9	0	
22	Liverpool	Y	1	1	2	0	1	0	3	8	0	
23	London	C	1	4	6	0	1	0	5	1	17	
24	Manchester	Y	1	3	3	0	1	0	3	11	0	
25	Newcastle	Y	1	2	2	0	1	0	1	7	0	
26	Norwich	C	1	1	3	0	1	0	2	8	0	
27	Oxford	C	1	3	3	0	0	0	1	8	0	
28	Peterborough	C	1	1	2	0	1	0	3	8	0	
29	Portsmouth	C	1	0	2	0	1	0	3	1	7	
30	Ripon & Leeds	Y	1	1	2	0	1	0	2	7	0	
31	Rochester	C	1	1	2	1	1	0	2	7	1	
32	St. Albans	C	1	2	2	0	1	0	4	10	0	
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	C	1	1	3	0	1	0	1	1	7	
34	Salisbury	C	1	1	3	0	1	0	2	1	8	
35	Sheffield	Y	1	1	2	0	1	0	1	1	6	
36	Sodor and Man	Y	1	0	1	0	0	0	5	7	0	
37	Southwark	C	1	3	6	0	1	0	4	1	15	
38	Southwell	Y	1	1	2	0	1	0	3	8	0	
39	Truro	C	1	1	2	0	1	0	2	7	0	
40	Wakefield	Y	1	1	2	0	1	0	3	8	0	
41	Winchester	C	1	2	1	0	1	0	3	8	0	
42	Worcester	C	1	1	2	0	1	0	2	7	0	
43	York	Y	1	3	3	0	1	0	4	12	0	
44	Europe	C	1	1	7	0	1	0	4	14	0	
Totals Province of Canterbury (C)			28	45	82	1	29	0	80	11	264	12
Totals Province of York (Y)			14	21	31	0	12	0	42	1	120	1
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND			42	66	113	1	41	0	122	12	384	13

NOTES:

- The above figures include only those stipendiary clergy who were working full-time within the diocesan
- The Archbishop of Canterbury and ordained members of his staff at Lambeth are classed as extra-diocesan and are not included in these figures.

CLERGY 1998

and York (excluding Europe)

supplied by the Church Commissioners

as at 31st December 1998

Incumbants (excluding Dignitaries)	Parochial Clergy						TOTAL Parochial Clergy		Non- parochial Diocesan		TOTAL Diocesan Clergy	
	Incumbent Status		Assistant Curates		TOTAL		m	w	m	w	m	w
	m	w	m	w	m	w						
9	10		11		12		13		14			
154	6	29	6	26	13	209	25	6	0	223	25	
110	5	22	7	38	17	170	29	12	1	189	31	
164	3	19	1	31	7	214	11	8	1	233	12	
82	2	12	2	9	5	103	9	3	0	112	9	
84	6	20	8	18	7	122	21	4	3	133	24	
104	2	33	5	21	4	158	11	5	2	171	13	
67	44	8	19	4	130	12	2	2	0	140	12	
230	6	67	17	54	13	361	36	12	2	375	39	
160	3	49	1	44	14	253	18	2	1	266	19	
211	60	1	46	6	317	7	10	0	0	336	7	
82	2	19	10	20	2	121	14	4	1	132	16	
90	48	7	17	6	165	13	8	0	0	170	13	
123	8	36	10	28	12	187	30	9	0	206	30	
84	8	27	7	16	4	127	19	5	0	141	20	
129	2	79	3	22	6	230	11	4	2	245	13	
88	3	33	4	15	6	136	13	3	0	147	14	
113	4	11	6	34	13	168	23	5	2	169	26	
44	36	10	10	5	90	15	6	0	0	103	15	
86	1	23	8	22	8	131	17	2	1	140	18	
186	3	75	22	55	16	316	41	5	1	332	42	
116	7	47	17	17	9	180	33	8	7	197	40	
142	8	33	11	32	15	207	34	5	0	220	34	
272	8	70	8	119	28	481	44	22	3	500	48	
160	3	70	14	24	7	254	24	2	4	267	28	
82	5	27	1	18	5	127	11	7	0	141	11	
107	8	45	2	14	5	166	15	6	0	180	15	
220	6	100	26	51	33	371	65	14	2	393	67	
111	4	15	3	9	7	135	14	4	1	147	15	
62	4	16	16	4	94	8	2	0	0	103	9	
91	9	11	4	21	11	123	24	6	0	136	24	
155	6	13	5	28	12	196	23	5	1	208	25	
164	11	26	12	41	18	231	41	7	1	248	42	
74	3	48	5	18	5	140	13	4	1	151	15	
102	1	78	10	24	7	204	18	2	0	214	19	
127	6	17	5	20	10	164	21	4	1	174	23	
14				1		15	0	0	0	22	0	
219	20	34	10	40	30	293	60	8	2	316	63	
82	5	34	13	25	9	141	27	10	2	159	29	
81		26	2	10	1	117	3	1	0	125	3	
108	2	27	6	14	6	149	14	2	2	169	16	
145	2	37	5	32	7	214	14	8	1	230	15	
85	1	33	9	14	8	132	18	5	0	144	18	
175	8	33	7	26	9	234	24	10	2	256	26	
0	0	92	1	12	5	104	6	2	0	120	6	
3708	129	1262	236	859	305	5829	670	189	34	6282	716	
1577	62	412	83	312	114	2301	259	70	13	2491	273	
5285	191	1674	319	1171	419	8130	929	259	47	8773	989	

- Dignitaries holding more than one dignity are included only in the higher ranking dignity.
- Column 10 includes Team Vicars, Priests-in-Charge and Curates-in-Charge of Conventional Districts.

SELECTED FINANCIAL

3 **Covenanted unrestricted planned giving to Parochial Church Councils :**
Contributors, amounts and average weekly rates

Year	Subscribers under covenants 000s	Actual		In real terms of 1998*	
		Covenanted giving: net subscriptions £ 000s	Weekly average per subscriber £	Covenanted giving: net subscriptions £ 000s	Weekly average per subscriber £
		3	4	5	6
1964	126	2,113	0.32	24,240	3.70
1970	168	3,325	0.38	29,278	3.35
1980	362	17,692	0.94	43,080	2.29
1990	405	71,130	3.38	91,886	4.38
1991	403	77902	3.71	95056	4.53
1992	403	86,617	4.14	101,879	4.87
1993	405	95,301	4.52	110,339	5.24
1994	405	103,745	4.93	117,284	5.58
1995	404	111,045	5.28	121,328	5.77
1996	404	118,111	5.82	128,001	5.99
1997	401	124,439	5.98	128,708	6.17
1998	399	132,114	6.37	132,114	6.37

4 **Uncovenanted unrestricted planned giving to Parochial Church Councils :**
Contributors, amounts and average weekly rates

Year	Uncovenanted planned giving subscribers 000s	Actual		In real terms of 1998*	
		Uncovenanted planned giving: subscriptions £ 000s	Weekly average per subscriber £	Uncovenanted planned giving: subscriptions £ 000s	Weekly average per subscriber £
		3	4	5	6
1964	1,029	7,198	0.13	82,574	1.54
1970	800	6,348	0.15	55,897	1.34
1980	529	13,748	0.50	33,476	1.22
1990	326	23,565	1.39	30,442	1.80
1991	326	26,243	1.55	32,021	1.89
1992	317	29,212	1.77	34,359	2.08
1993	311	31,257	1.93	36,190	2.24
1994	304	32,845	2.08	37,131	2.35
1995	298	34,401	2.22	37,587	2.42
1996	290	35,032	2.32	37,372	2.48
1997	283	36,490	2.48	37,741	2.58
1998	266	36,438	2.63	36,438	2.63

5 **Direct unrestricted giving to Parochial Church Councils**

Year	Actual		In real terms of 1998*	
	Total Direct Giving £ 000s	Weekly average per Electoral Roll Member £	Total Direct Giving £ 000s	Weekly average per Electoral Roll Member £
	2	3	4	5
1964	14,961	0.11	171,630	1.22
1970	15,847	0.12	139,539	1.06
1980	51,521	0.55	125,454	1.33
1990	141,076	1.94	182,242	2.51
1991	152,549	2.04	186,140	2.49
1992	164,854	2.17	193,901	2.56
1993	175,898	2.29	203,655	2.66
1994	187,468	2.44	211,932	2.76
1995	197,163	2.58	215,421	2.82
1996	205,417	3.08	219,139	3.27
1997	215,599	3.15	222,994	3.26
1998	244,338	3.51	244,338	3.51

COMPARISONS 1964 to 1998

6 **Total unrestricted voluntary and ordinary income of Parochial Church Councils**

Year	Actual		In real terms 1998*		Ordinary Income	
	Total Voluntary Income £ 000s	Weekly average per Electoral Roll Member £	Total Voluntary Income £ 000s	Weekly average per Electoral Roll Member £	Actual £000s	In real terms of 1998* £000s
	2	3	4	5	6	7
1964	20,033	0.14	229,815	1.64	22,108	253,619
1970	22,110	0.17	194,687	1.49	26,396	232,427
1980	72,798	0.77	177,263	1.88	85,880	209,118
1990	195,193	2.69	252,150	3.47	237,385	306,654
1991	212,974	2.85	259,871	3.48	256,796	313,342
1992	230,005	3.03	270,532	3.57	273,546	321,744
1993	246,050	3.21	284,877	3.72	287,421	332,776
1994	262,886	3.42	297,193	3.87	307,598	347,739
1995	275,388	3.61	300,889	3.94	327,531	357,860
1996	288,358	4.30	307,621	4.58	344,897	367,936
1997	305,345	4.46	315,818	4.62	374,324	387,163
1998	314,933	4.52	314,933	4.52	406,301	406,301

7 **Total income of Parochial Councils for 1998**

	Unrestricted	Restricted	Total (100%)
Total Regular Income	406,301 (88%)	53,603 (12%)	459,904
Total One-off Income	36,405 (37%)	63,334 (63%)	99,739
Total Income	442,706 (79%)	116,937 (21%)	559,643

8 **Charitable giving and total ordinary expenditure by Parochial Church Councils**

Year	Actual £ 000s		In real terms of 1998* £ 000s	
	Total Charitable Donations	Total Ordinary Expenditure	Total Charitable Donations	Total Ordinary Expenditure
	2	3	4	5
1964	2,173	21,711	24,928	249,064
1970	2,593	28,038	22,832	246,888
1980	8,480	77,849	20,649	189,562
1990	24,573	227,314	31,743	293,644
1991	25,945	250,704	31,658	305,909
1992	26,366	270,365	31,012	318,003
1993	24,990	289,447	28,934	335,122
1994	25,814	307,698	29,182	347,853
1995	25,154	320,197	27,483	349,848
1996	25,361	338,671	27,055	361,294
1997	26,874	365,433	27,796	377,968
1998	35,302	415,199	35,302	415,199

NOTES ON TABLES 3 to 8

- Figures for cathedrals and their daughter churches are not included.
- Definitions of composite items and totals are given on page 5.
- * i.e. adjusted by the Retail Price Index to reflect 1998 purchasing power.

UNRESTRICTED PLANNED GIVING

Ref. No.	Diocese	Covenanted 1998		
		Subscribers	Amounts (net)	Weekly average per subscriber
1	2	3	4	5
			£	£
1	Bath and Wells	12,200	3,534,100	5.59
2	Birmingham	6,100	2,718,200	8.58
3	Blackburn	11,800	2,983,900	4.87
4	Bradford	4,600	1,811,200	7.58
5	Bristol	6,400	2,594,400	7.75
6	Canterbury	7,300	2,375,100	6.22
7	Carlisle	8,600	1,877,300	3.73
8	Chelmsford	13,500	5,183,700	7.37
9	Chester	12,400	4,490,200	6.94
10	Chichester	17,300	5,109,500	5.89
11	Coventry	5,900	1,940,300	6.28
12	Derby	6,100	2,150,300	6.82
13	Durham	6,700	1,998,100	5.71
14	Ely	5,500	1,910,500	6.72
15	Exeter	11,300	2,781,400	4.89
16	Gloucester	7,100	2,392,100	6.49
17	Guildford	12,300	5,144,900	8.06
18	Hereford	5,600	1,087,000	3.76
19	Leicester	9,600	2,671,100	5.35
20	Lichfield	14,000	4,213,700	5.81
21	Lincoln	6,500	1,465,000	4.38
22	Liverpool	8,200	2,576,900	6.01
23	London	16,000	8,113,400	10.95
24	Manchester	9,700	3,314,100	6.60
25	Newcastle	8,100	1,933,300	4.56
26	Norwich	7,500	2,072,400	5.29
27	Oxford	20,400	7,908,000	7.46
28	Peterborough	7,600	2,063,000	5.24
29	Portsmouth	5,100	1,509,100	5.74
30	Ripon & Leeds	6,400	1,915,100	5.77
31	Rochester	10,500	4,314,300	7.90
32	St Albans	12,400	4,767,000	7.41
33	St Edms & Ipswich	7,200	2,058,800	5.49
34	Salisbury	14,400	3,556,800	4.76
35	Sheffield	5,200	2,399,200	8.85
36	Sodor and Man	100	89,000	9.83
37	Southwark	15,300	7,567,000	9.48
38	Southwell	12,600	3,316,100	5.06
39	Truro	4,600	995,000	4.17
40	Wakefield	5,700	1,937,300	6.55
41	Winchester	12,000	3,619,700	5.78
42	Worcester	6,700	1,905,700	5.45
43	York	12,300	2,989,100	4.89
Totals Province of Canterbury		288,300	98,701,400	6.63
Totals Province of York		112,600	33,412,400	5.71
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		398,800	132,113,700	6.37

- NOTES : 1. Figures for cathedrals are not included.
2. Covenanted giving figures for Sodor and Man are not strictly comparable with those for other dioceses because of different income tax arrangements in the Isle of Man.
3. Number of subscribers for Rochester are not strictly comparable with those for other dioceses.
4. Definitions of composite items and totals are given on page 5.

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Non-covenanted 1998			Comparable figures for 1997			
Subscribers	Amounts	Weekly average per subscriber	Weekly average		TOTAL Planned Giving	
			covenanted	Non-covenanted		
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	£	£	£	£	£	£
6,800	910,300	2.58	4,444,300	4.88	2.40	4,064,600
4,400	757,600	3.29	3,475,800	7.32	2.71	3,315,100
13,100	1,323,500	1.94	4,307,100	4.74	1.75	4,073,700
3,500	529,500	2.87	2,340,700	7.22	2.52	2,266,000
3,900	544,500	2.71	3,138,900	7.51	2.59	3,036,200
4,800	653,700	2.65	3,028,800	5.88	2.61	2,916,900
6,200	565,500	1.75	2,242,800	3.49	1.77	2,186,700
7,500	1,371,600	3.53	6,666,300	7.15	3.04	6,301,900
10,900	1,584,800	2.79	6,075,000	6.89	2.69	5,912,200
7,600	1,149,400	2.92	6,258,900	5.32	2.98	5,993,200
3,900	450,000	2.21	2,390,400	5.82	2.45	2,336,600
5,400	600,000	2.14	2,760,200	6.28	2.05	2,666,400
11,500	1,083,700	1.81	3,081,800	5.25	1.86	2,849,100
3,200	476,700	2.83	2,387,200	6.16	2.83	2,179,600
6,300	819,400	2.50	3,680,800	4.43	2.37	3,492,500
3,800	609,700	3.05	3,001,800	5.18	2.19	2,926,600
4,100	961,100	4.51	6,106,000	7.74	4.26	5,861,800
2,400	242,700	1.94	1,329,600	4.10	2.02	1,366,700
4,700	550,200	2.24	3,221,300	5.03	2.09	2,842,200
12,400	1,514,100	2.35	6,727,900	5.43	2.24	5,642,400
6,600	662,200	1.93	2,127,200	4.23	1.86	2,146,100
10,900	1,132,300	2.01	3,709,100	5.90	2.01	3,726,000
9,300	2,110,400	4.37	11,223,800	10.20	3.91	10,341,100
14,700	1,528,900	2.01	4,843,000	5.97	1.89	4,662,500
6,000	550,000	1.77	2,483,200	4.13	1.71	2,361,900
4,500	570,200	2.42	2,642,600	4.83	2.29	2,523,500
8,600	1,603,300	3.57	9,811,300	6.83	3.28	9,072,600
4,900	600,200	2.34	2,663,200	5.06	2.26	2,646,800
3,500	478,200	2.63	1,987,300	5.59	2.51	1,928,400
5,100	678,400	2.57	2,693,400	5.38	2.36	2,263,000
3,600	877,700	4.72	5,192,000	7.20	3.75	4,886,900
7,400	1,187,300	3.11	5,964,400	6.80	3.06	5,830,900
3,300	537,300	3.09	2,696,900	5.20	2.79	2,536,000
4,800	627,900	2.51	4,184,700	4.44	2.33	3,928,400
5,400	832,600	2.94	3,231,800	6.43	2.67	3,104,900
600	106,800	3.33	177,800	11.56	3.17	204,800
8,500	1,626,600	3.67	9,193,500	9.04	3.63	8,668,600
4,400	588,800	2.57	3,906,900	4.54	2.28	3,693,900
3,600	363,100	1.94	1,368,200	3.81	1.92	1,306,600
5,700	704,300	2.37	2,641,800	5.97	2.24	2,607,600
5,900	985,300	3.21	4,606,000	5.62	3.08	4,463,100
4,900	587,900	2.29	2,493,600	4.98	2.28	2,337,700
7,700	798,700	2.00	3,787,800	4.69	1.98	3,780,500
160,700	24,428,600	2.92	123,129,900	6.18	2.74	117,349,200
106,700	12,009,800	2.18	46,422,200	6.41	2.06	43,679,700
266,400	36,438,300	2.63	169,552,100	6.96	2.48	160,929,000

UNRESTRICTED DIRECT AND OTHER

Ref. No.	Diocese	1998				
		TOTAL		TOTAL Direct Giving	Percentage of direct giving which is covenanted	Direct giving per week per Electoral Roll member
		Planned Giving	Collections, Boxes			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		£	£	£	£	£
1	Bath and Wells	4,444,300	2,866,800	7,311,100	48%	3.31
2	Birmingham	3,475,800	1,246,500	4,722,200	58%	4.65
3	Blackburn	4,307,100	1,757,800	6,064,900	49%	3.05
4	Bradford	2,340,700	918,600	3,259,300	56%	4.71
5	Bristol	3,138,900	1,152,400	4,291,300	60%	4.09
6	Canterbury	3,028,800	1,468,800	4,497,600	53%	3.96
7	Carlisle	2,242,800	1,139,100	3,381,900	50%	2.58
8	Chelmsford	6,555,300	3,242,500	9,797,800	53%	3.54
9	Chester	6,075,000	2,172,600	8,247,600	54%	3.11
10	Chichester	6,258,900	2,951,800	9,210,700	55%	2.89
11	Coventry	2,390,400	1,028,900	3,419,300	58%	3.72
12	Derby	2,750,200	1,375,000	4,125,200	52%	3.62
13	Durham	3,081,800	1,376,900	4,458,700	45%	2.97
14	Ely	2,387,200	1,368,400	3,755,700	51%	3.40
15	Exeter	3,580,800	2,185,600	5,766,400	48%	3.16
16	Gloucester	3,001,800	1,737,800	4,739,600	50%	3.39
17	Guildford	6,106,000	1,676,500	7,782,400	66%	4.75
18	Hereford	1,329,600	1,073,000	2,402,600	45%	2.39
19	Leicester	3,221,300	1,127,200	4,348,500	61%	5.04
20	Lichfield	5,727,900	2,520,000	8,247,900	51%	2.92
21	Lincoln	2,127,200	1,421,500	3,548,700	41%	2.11
22	Liverpool	3,709,100	1,890,700	5,599,800	46%	3.23
23	London	11,223,800	5,117,400	16,341,100	56%	5.44
24	Manchester	4,843,000	2,006,200	6,849,300	48%	3.34
25	Newcastle	2,483,200	629,800	3,113,000	62%	3.35
26	Norwich	2,642,600	1,694,800	4,337,400	46%	3.27
27	Oxford	9,511,300	3,993,000	13,504,300	59%	4.02
28	Peterborough	2,663,200	1,217,900	3,881,100	53%	3.77
29	Portsmouth	1,987,300	885,100	2,872,400	53%	2.87
30	Ripon & Leeds	2,593,400	1,198,700	3,792,100	51%	3.63
31	Rochester	5,192,000	2,060,300	7,252,300	59%	4.33
32	St Albans	5,954,400	2,020,500	7,974,800	60%	3.37
33	St Edms & Ipswich	2,595,900	1,700,100	4,296,000	48%	3.17
34	Salisbury	4,184,700	2,491,300	6,676,000	53%	2.73
35	Sheffield	3,231,800	927,400	4,159,200	58%	3.73
36	Sodor and Man	177,800	261,000	438,800	16%	2.85
37	Southwark	9,193,500	2,479,100	11,672,600	65%	4.84
38	Southwell	3,906,900	1,221,400	5,128,300	65%	5.21
39	Truro	1,358,200	1,074,300	2,432,500	41%	2.64
40	Wakefield	2,841,600	1,094,900	3,936,500	52%	2.98
41	Winchester	4,605,000	2,531,900	7,136,900	51%	3.16
42	Worcester	2,493,600	1,133,000	3,626,600	53%	3.01
43	York	3,787,800	2,150,200	5,938,000	50%	2.89
Totals Province of Canterbury		123,129,900	57,041,100	180,171,000	55%	3.59
Totals Province of York		45,422,200	18,745,300	64,167,500	52%	3.30
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		168,552,100	75,786,400	244,338,500	54%	3.51

NOTES:

- Figures for cathedrals are not included.
- * Excluding appeals and donations for special purposes.
- Definitions of composite items and totals are given on page 5.
- The total direct giving for the Diocese in Europe in 1998 was £2,558,000, an average of £5.48 per electoral roll member.

GIVING TO PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCILS 1998

1998			Comparable figures for 1997			
Income Tax on Covenants	Other Voluntary Income *	TOTAL Voluntary Income	TOTAL Direct Giving	Percentage of direct giving which is covenanted	Direct giving per week per Electoral Roll member	TOTAL Voluntary Income
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1,052,900	941,300	9,305,300	5,722,900	55%	2.59	8,128,400
775,400	495,600	5,993,300	4,112,800	61%	4.04	5,677,400
883,200	609,600	7,557,800	5,330,500	53%	2.72	7,282,100
561,600	311,800	4,132,600	2,878,400	61%	4.19	4,112,400
745,600	471,100	5,508,100	3,861,100	64%	3.74	5,402,100
695,300	600,300	5,793,100	3,971,500	57%	3.54	5,915,500
493,900	563,900	4,439,600	3,065,000	52%	2.35	4,430,700
1,523,100	1,230,200	12,551,200	8,577,800	57%	3.14	12,296,300
1,341,800	603,000	10,192,500	7,490,700	58%	2.91	9,963,200
1,478,200	960,700	11,649,500	8,165,700	59%	2.62	11,524,900
582,900	835,300	4,817,500	3,081,800	58%	3.30	4,345,500
707,300	613,000	5,445,600	3,712,800	56%	3.35	5,287,000
597,900	767,100	5,823,700	3,706,500	49%	2.58	5,505,100
548,500	565,400	4,869,600	3,172,400	53%	2.93	4,545,200
826,600	1,068,100	7,659,100	5,161,300	51%	2.91	7,523,100
729,000	556,400	6,025,100	4,161,900	55%	3.02	5,895,000
1,538,500	345,700	9,666,600	7,107,200	69%	4.40	9,459,400
334,900	724,600	3,462,100	2,161,300	51%	2.14	3,475,600
750,500	654,500	5,753,400	3,633,800	64%	4.20	5,162,100
1,180,500	1,273,800	10,702,200	7,396,900	55%	2.66	10,482,200
425,700	863,600	4,838,000	3,298,700	46%	1.98	5,124,400
736,100	587,200	6,923,100	4,890,800	52%	2.86	7,129,500
2,729,800	1,632,700	20,703,700	13,814,000	61%	4.78	19,574,000
963,800	886,700	8,699,800	5,884,100	54%	2.90	8,475,700
528,500	371,100	4,012,700	2,863,700	63%	3.09	3,931,600
600,100	1,042,500	6,180,000	3,830,800	50%	2.79	5,804,000
2,310,900	1,383,000	17,198,200	12,265,200	61%	3.80	16,622,400
614,900	682,900	5,178,900	3,426,400	57%	3.32	5,028,400
486,200	389,700	3,748,300	2,646,500	55%	2.77	3,780,200
574,100	621,300	4,987,500	3,065,100	56%	3.00	4,319,800
1,307,100	771,300	9,330,700	6,584,700	60%	3.98	9,271,000
1,375,100	830,800	10,180,800	7,539,000	60%	3.23	10,369,800
603,600	908,600	5,805,100	3,731,800	53%	2.80	5,669,100
1,086,700	1,063,400	8,826,100	5,789,400	57%	2.42	8,327,600
721,600	362,600	5,243,500	3,860,500	59%	3.53	5,106,500
0	60,400	499,200	388,400	21%	2.56	524,300
2,185,900	897,100	14,755,700	10,404,000	68%	4.39	14,225,400
884,400	487,300	6,499,900	4,396,200	68%	4.57	6,006,400
307,200	533,400	3,273,100	2,089,900	45%	2.23	3,118,100
592,800	577,400	4,906,700	3,319,400	56%	2.70	4,764,100
1,026,100	839,800	9,002,800	6,470,100	53%	2.90	9,117,600
655,900	571,200	4,853,800	3,132,700	56%	2.67	4,522,300
879,500	1,117,400	7,934,900	5,464,900	55%	2.74	8,119,700
29,164,600	23,744,000	233,079,600	159,004,400	58%	3.22	225,673,700
9,769,200	7,926,800	81,853,500	56,594,300	56%	2.97	79,671,200
38,923,800	31,670,700	314,933,000	215,598,700	58%	3.15	305,344,900

UNRESTRICTED ORDINARY INCOME

Ref. No.	Diocese	1998				Percentage of Ordinary Income which is 'Voluntary Income'
		TOTAL Voluntary Income	Weekly average per Electoral Roll Member	All Other Ordinary Income	TOTAL Ordinary Income	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		£	£	£	£	
1	Bath and Wells	9,305,300	4.21	1,960,700	11,266,000	83%
2	Birmingham	5,993,300	5.90	2,046,400	8,039,700	75%
3	Blackburn	7,567,800	3.80	1,946,000	9,503,800	80%
4	Bradford	4,132,600	5.97	807,500	4,940,200	84%
5	Bristol	5,508,100	5.25	1,341,800	6,849,800	80%
6	Canterbury	5,793,100	5.10	1,714,900	7,508,000	77%
7	Carlisle	4,439,600	3.38	1,137,100	5,576,700	80%
8	Chelmsford	12,561,200	4.54	3,576,500	16,127,600	78%
9	Chester	10,192,500	3.85	2,459,400	12,651,800	81%
10	Chichester	11,649,500	3.65	3,071,000	14,720,600	79%
11	Coventry	4,817,500	5.23	1,468,800	6,286,300	77%
12	Derby	5,445,600	4.78	1,561,200	6,996,700	78%
13	Durham	5,823,700	3.87	1,407,600	7,231,400	81%
14	Ely	4,869,800	4.41	1,137,500	6,007,100	81%
15	Exeter	7,659,100	4.20	4,553,200	12,212,300	63%
16	Gloucester	6,025,100	4.31	1,367,900	7,393,000	81%
17	Guildford	9,666,600	5.90	2,281,700	11,948,300	81%
18	Hereford	3,482,100	3.44	977,500	4,439,700	78%
19	Leicester	5,753,400	6.67	1,056,900	6,810,300	84%
20	Lichfield	10,702,200	3.79	3,073,000	13,775,200	78%
21	Lincoln	4,838,000	2.88	1,520,200	6,358,200	76%
22	Liverpool	6,923,100	3.99	2,380,300	9,303,400	74%
23	London	20,703,700	6.89	10,562,900	31,266,500	66%
24	Manchester	8,699,800	4.24	2,097,400	10,797,100	81%
25	Newcastle	4,012,700	4.32	777,500	4,790,200	84%
26	Norwich	6,160,000	4.46	1,629,400	7,809,500	79%
27	Oxford	17,198,200	5.12	4,077,300	21,275,400	81%
28	Peterborough	5,178,900	5.04	1,193,700	6,372,700	81%
29	Portsmouth	3,748,300	3.75	1,362,500	5,100,900	73%
30	Ripon & Leeds	4,987,500	4.77	1,299,900	6,287,400	79%
31	Rochester	9,330,700	5.57	3,511,700	12,842,400	73%
32	St Albans	10,180,800	4.31	2,959,300	13,140,100	77%
33	St Edms and Ipswich	5,808,100	4.29	1,182,200	6,990,400	83%
34	Salisbury	8,826,100	3.61	2,016,400	10,842,500	81%
35	Sheffield	5,243,500	4.70	1,140,100	6,383,600	82%
36	Sodor and Man	499,200	3.24	123,900	623,100	80%
37	Southwark	14,785,700	6.12	4,922,900	19,678,600	75%
38	Southwell	6,499,900	6.61	1,412,900	7,912,900	82%
39	Truro	3,273,100	3.56	843,100	4,116,200	80%
40	Wakefield	4,906,700	3.91	1,430,500	6,337,200	77%
41	Winchester	9,002,800	3.98	2,485,800	11,488,500	78%
42	Worcester	4,853,600	4.03	1,486,900	6,340,500	77%
43	York	7,934,900	3.86	2,024,700	9,959,600	80%
Totals Province of Canterbury		233,079,600	4.64	70,923,400	304,003,000	77%
Totals Province of York		81,853,500	4.20	20,444,700	102,298,200	80%
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		314,933,000	4.52	91,368,100	406,301,200	78%

- NOTES : 1. Figures for cathedrals are not included.
 2. Definitions of composite items and totals are given on page 5.
 3. The total ordinary income for the Diocese in Europe in 1998 was £4,767,000
 4. The comparable total ordinary income for the Diocese in Europe in 1997 was £4,530,000

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Ref. No.	Diocese	Comparable figures for 1997				Percentage of Ordinary Income which is 'Voluntary Income'
		TOTAL Voluntary Income	Weekly average per Electoral Roll Member	All Other Ordinary Income	TOTAL Ordinary Income	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		£	£	£	£	
1	Bath and Wells	8,128,400	3.68	1,520,400	9,648,800	84%
2	Birmingham	5,677,400	5.58	1,444,100	7,121,500	80%
3	Blackburn	7,282,100	3.72	1,520,200	8,802,300	83%
4	Bradford	4,112,400	5.99	506,100	4,618,500	89%
5	Bristol	5,402,100	5.24	1,047,800	6,449,700	84%
6	Canterbury	5,915,500	5.27	1,356,500	7,272,000	81%
7	Carlisle	4,430,700	3.40	857,600	5,288,300	84%
8	Chelmsford	12,296,300	4.51	2,317,400	14,613,600	84%
9	Chester	9,963,200	3.87	1,653,700	11,616,900	86%
10	Chichester	11,524,900	3.69	2,417,900	13,942,800	83%
11	Coventry	4,345,500	4.66	1,325,400	5,670,900	77%
12	Derby	5,287,000	4.77	1,122,400	6,409,400	82%
13	Durham	5,505,100	3.83	1,201,100	6,706,300	82%
14	Ely	4,646,200	4.19	943,200	5,488,400	83%
15	Exeter	7,523,100	4.25	1,700,300	9,223,400	82%
16	Gloucester	5,895,000	4.28	1,172,200	7,067,200	83%
17	Guildford	9,459,400	5.86	1,799,100	11,258,500	84%
18	Hereford	3,475,600	3.44	796,700	4,272,300	81%
19	Leicester	5,162,100	5.97	892,000	6,054,100	85%
20	Lichfield	10,482,200	3.77	2,818,500	13,300,700	79%
21	Lincoln	5,124,400	3.07	1,259,900	6,384,300	80%
22	Liverpool	7,129,500	4.17	1,939,000	9,068,500	79%
23	London	19,574,000	6.78	8,262,200	27,836,200	70%
24	Manchester	8,475,700	4.17	1,591,000	10,066,700	84%
25	Newcastle	3,931,600	4.24	631,300	4,562,900	86%
26	Norwich	6,804,000	4.23	1,345,900	7,149,900	81%
27	Oxford	16,822,400	5.14	3,535,900	20,158,300	82%
28	Peterborough	5,028,400	4.87	1,020,200	6,048,500	83%
29	Portsmouth	3,780,200	3.95	1,043,800	4,824,000	78%
30	Ripon & Leeds	4,319,800	4.23	813,700	5,133,400	84%
31	Rochester	9,271,000	5.59	2,589,500	11,860,500	78%
32	St Albans	10,369,800	4.44	2,336,500	12,706,300	82%
33	St Edms and Ipswich	5,669,100	4.25	1,038,700	6,707,800	85%
34	Salisbury	8,327,500	3.50	1,723,800	10,051,300	83%
35	Sheffield	5,106,500	4.67	820,600	5,927,100	86%
36	Sodor and Man	524,300	3.46	117,300	641,600	82%
37	Southwark	14,225,400	6.01	2,919,400	17,144,800	83%
38	Southwell	6,006,400	6.24	1,150,200	7,156,600	84%
39	Truro	3,118,100	3.33	714,300	3,832,400	81%
40	Wakefield	4,764,100	3.87	1,100,800	5,864,900	81%
41	Winchester	9,117,800	4.08	1,918,500	11,036,000	83%
42	Worcester	4,522,300	3.85	1,158,000	5,680,300	80%
43	York	8,119,700	4.07	1,635,900	9,655,600	84%
Totals Province of Canterbury		25,673,700	4.57	53,540,300	279,214,000	81%
Totals Province of York		79,671,200	4.18	15,438,500	95,109,700	84%
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		305,344,900	4.46	68,978,800	374,323,700	82%

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CHARITABLE DONATIONS FROM ORDINARY EXPENDITURE

Ref. No.	Diocese	1998							
		Missionary societies		Christian relief and development organisations		Home missions, Church societies and organisations		Other charities	
		£	%	£	%	£	%	£	%
1	Bath and Wells	311,700	30%	175,000	17%	283,500	27%	269,100	26%
2	Birmingham	215,600	32%	99,300	15%	280,600	41%	82,900	12%
3	Blackburn	189,900	31%	106,300	17%	206,300	33%	115,600	19%
4	Bradford	129,400	33%	88,100	22%	125,000	31%	54,800	14%
5	Bristol	362,000	48%	100,600	13%	145,900	19%	150,800	20%
6	Canterbury	142,900	31%	86,800	19%	124,600	27%	107,800	23%
7	Carlisle	129,900	33%	60,400	15%	105,600	27%	98,600	25%
8	Chelmsford	389,500	33%	207,000	17%	376,900	32%	212,500	18%
9	Chester	455,900	38%	173,800	15%	391,300	33%	163,500	14%
10	Chichester	377,100	29%	190,200	14%	503,000	38%	250,100	19%
11	Coventry	134,000	23%	95,600	16%	174,700	30%	177,200	30%
12	Derby	159,200	30%	126,200	23%	180,100	33%	73,500	14%
13	Durham	148,900	33%	87,600	19%	123,800	28%	89,000	20%
14	Ely	145,200	33%	67,400	15%	140,300	32%	90,200	20%
15	Exeter	184,600	26%	171,600	24%	198,700	28%	150,700	21%
16	Gloucester	204,000	32%	112,800	18%	181,900	28%	141,700	22%
17	Guildford	632,500	38%	264,900	16%	503,600	30%	267,100	16%
18	Hereford	53,900	16%	55,500	17%	84,100	26%	133,200	41%
19	Leicester	140,600	34%	76,600	19%	121,500	30%	69,300	17%
20	Lichfield	309,000	31%	203,300	21%	312,500	32%	165,300	17%
21	Lincoln	118,700	31%	56,500	15%	103,600	27%	110,000	28%
22	Liverpool	261,800	33%	127,800	16%	264,200	33%	135,800	17%
23	London	1,079,000	34%	484,200	15%	1,197,300	38%	382,700	12%
24	Manchester	239,800	34%	132,500	19%	212,600	30%	116,300	17%
25	Newcastle	58,900	22%	44,800	17%	98,600	37%	65,800	25%
26	Norwich	143,600	32%	77,100	17%	129,000	29%	96,500	22%
27	Oxford	826,600	33%	356,400	14%	900,600	36%	425,400	17%
28	Peterborough	133,900	31%	75,400	18%	136,300	32%	85,000	20%
29	Portsmouth	115,800	27%	85,000	20%	124,400	29%	101,800	24%
30	Ripon & Leeds	119,700	28%	51,200	12%	124,900	29%	137,800	32%
31	Rochester	558,800	35%	262,700	17%	526,800	33%	239,000	15%
32	St. Albans	600,200	34%	300,200	17%	593,900	33%	284,100	16%
33	St. Edms and Ipswich	124,900	27%	88,000	19%	119,800	26%	132,000	28%
34	Salisbury	278,200	27%	245,700	24%	268,100	26%	239,300	23%
35	Sheffield	222,400	36%	84,100	13%	241,400	39%	78,100	12%
36	Sodor and Man	15,300	27%	23,600	42%	9,300	17%	7,800	14%
37	Southwark	734,800	38%	281,100	14%	582,500	31%	328,500	17%
38	Southwell	227,300	39%	93,800	16%	170,700	29%	91,000	16%
39	Truro	40,500	18%	44,800	20%	66,500	30%	68,700	31%
40	Wakefield	144,500	31%	100,000	21%	134,900	29%	90,000	19%
41	Winchester	353,900	34%	157,800	15%	328,000	31%	215,300	20%
42	Worcester	116,400	26%	78,300	18%	137,700	31%	109,100	25%
43	York	156,300	21%	114,800	15%	224,400	30%	249,500	33%
44	Europe	n.a.		n.a.		n.a.		n.a.	
Totals Province of Canterbury		8,986,900	33%	4,606,000	17%	8,836,800	32%	5,157,000	19%
Totals Province of York		2,499,900	32%	1,288,700	17%	2,432,800	32%	1,493,400	19%
TOTALS CHURCH OF ENGLAND		11,486,800	33%	5,894,700	17%	11,269,600	32%	6,650,400	19%

NOTES:

- The percentages indicate how much of the total amount given to charities is given to the particular charities.
- Figures for cathedrals are not included.
- Definitions of composite items and totals are given on page 5.

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CHARITABLE DONATIONS FROM ORDINARY EXPENDITURE

Ref. No.	Diocese	1998			Comparable figures for 1997	
		TOTAL ordinary expenditure	Charitable donations		TOTAL charitable donations	TOTAL ordinary expenditure
			TOTAL	percentage of ordinary expenditure		
1	Bath and Wells	10,888,500	1,039,300	10%	760,600	9,261,500
2	Birmingham	8,357,200	678,400	8%	580,600	7,026,200
3	Blackburn	9,728,300	618,000	6%	554,900	9,095,200
4	Bradford	5,254,300	397,400	8%	322,700	4,667,900
5	Bristol	7,663,700	759,300	10%	650,400	6,366,900
6	Canterbury	7,775,000	482,000	6%	425,400	6,977,000
7	Carlisle	5,737,400	394,500	7%	313,100	5,220,500
8	Chelmsford	16,689,200	1,185,900	7%	942,600	14,371,600
9	Chester	12,674,300	1,184,400	9%	983,300	11,448,800
10	Chichester	14,815,000	1,320,400	9%	1,042,900	13,332,300
11	Coventry	6,396,300	581,400	9%	488,600	5,689,000
12	Derby	6,908,700	539,000	8%	425,600	6,193,100
13	Durham	7,349,100	449,200	6%	370,300	6,797,200
14	Ely	6,260,200	443,200	7%	343,500	5,323,900
15	Exeter	10,076,300	705,600	7%	548,200	9,156,500
16	Gloucester	7,440,100	640,200	9%	491,200	6,757,000
17	Guildford	12,440,600	1,668,100	13%	1,226,000	10,889,600
18	Hereford	4,271,300	326,700	8%	222,500	4,028,200
19	Leicester	6,832,300	408,100	6%	311,800	5,981,400
20	Lichfield	13,730,400	990,100	7%	878,800	12,985,700
21	Lincoln	6,454,200	388,900	6%	326,100	6,308,900
22	Liverpool	9,991,300	789,500	8%	590,000	8,724,900
23	London	34,460,400	3,143,200	9%	2,058,100	28,208,200
24	Manchester	11,144,600	701,200	6%	519,800	10,250,400
25	Newcastle	5,213,800	268,100	5%	206,400	4,689,500
26	Norwich	7,619,000	446,300	6%	359,000	6,965,700
27	Oxford	21,666,100	2,509,000	12%	1,838,000	19,534,500
28	Peterborough	6,308,000	430,600	7%	361,400	5,815,400
29	Portsmouth	5,300,300	427,100	8%	299,000	4,859,100
30	Ripon & Leeds	6,519,000	433,500	7%	301,100	5,168,900
31	Rochester	14,191,300	1,587,300	11%	1,250,800	11,543,900
32	St. Albans	12,732,300	1,778,400	14%	1,302,400	11,674,300
33	St. Edms and Ipswich	6,841,800	464,800	7%	339,800	6,629,000
34	Salisbury	10,363,700	1,031,300	10%	763,800	9,413,600
35	Sheffield	7,018,000	626,000	9%	413,900	6,005,000
36	Sodor and Man	610,800	55,800	9%	46,000	680,900
37	Southwark	20,188,100	1,914,900	9%	1,332,900	16,432,000
38	Southwell	7,574,400	582,800	8%	472,400	7,069,600
39	Truro	4,636,200	220,600	5%	160,900	3,791,900
40	Wakefield	6,774,700	469,400	7%	355,300	6,045,600
41	Winchester	12,018,200	1,055,100	9%	756,500	10,843,700
42	Worcester	6,103,200	441,500	7%	354,800	5,461,500
43	York	10,361,200	745,000	7%	583,100	9,767,200
44	Europe	4,577,000	308,000	7%	330,000	4,440,000
Totals Province of Canterbury		309,247,600	27,586,800	9%	20,842,200	269,821,700
Totals Province of York		105,951,400	7,714,700	7%	6,362,300	100,051,500
TOTALS CHURCH OF ENGLAND		415,199,000	35,301,500	9%	27,204,500	369,873,200

NOTES:

- Figures for cathedrals are not included.
- Definitions of composite items and totals are given on page 5.

Chart A

Weekly average covenanted and uncovenanted unrestricted giving per subscriber 1990 to 1998

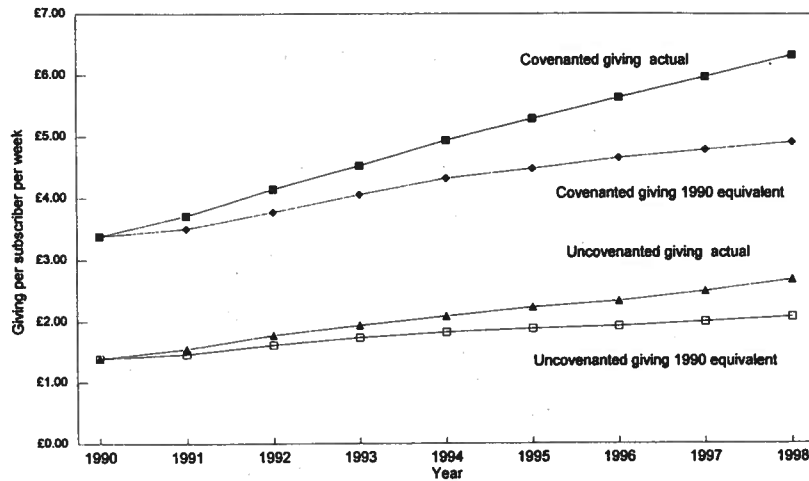
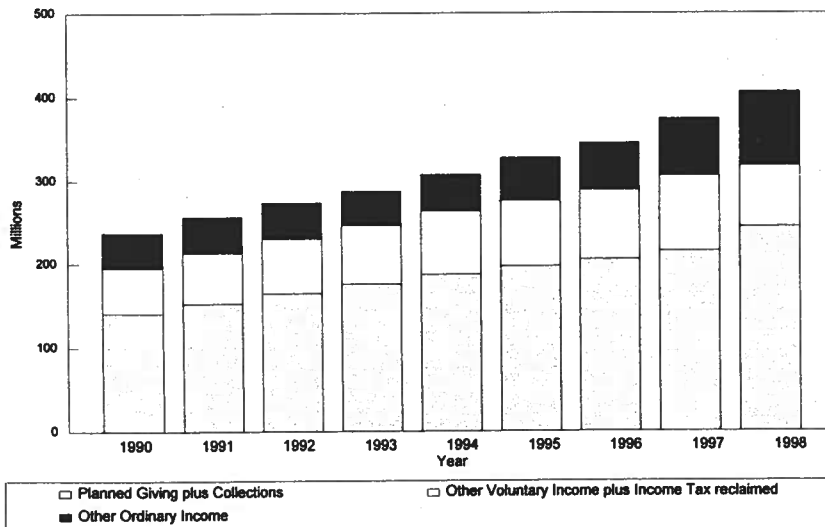


Chart B

Total Unrestricted Ordinary Income 1990 to 1998



Ref. No.	Diocese	Live births 1998	Baptisms			
			Infants under one year of age	Infant baptism rates per 1,000 live births	Children aged 1 to 12 years	All other persons
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Bath and Wells	11,400	2,700	234	770	130
2	Birmingham	19,800	2,300	117	950	170
3	Blackburn	15,000	3,800	250	900	140
4	Bradford	9,100	1,400	154	380	80
5	Bristol	14,000	2,000	143	550	160
6	Canterbury	9,400	2,600	271	980	230
7	Carlisle	5,000	2,400	472	370	70
8	Chelmsford	35,500	5,100	144	1,940	500
9	Chester	17,700	4,700	266	1,420	230
10	Chichester	16,400	3,800	233	1,380	320
11	Coventry	8,900	1,700	190	620	130
12	Derby	11,400	2,700	235	670	120
13	Durham	16,400	5,000	305	1,010	120
14	Ely	7,400	2,100	285	530	150
15	Exeter	11,000	3,000	276	1,070	310
16	Gloucester	7,000	2,000	292	560	170
17	Guildford	11,800	2,900	248	1,000	200
18	Hereford	3,300	1,400	433	290	70
19	Leicester	10,800	1,900	173	560	140
20	Lichfield	23,600	5,200	221	1,600	250
21	Lincoln	10,100	4,000	397	1,010	420
22	Liverpool	18,100	4,200	233	1,180	160
23	London	50,700	3,900	76	1,910	610
24	Manchester	25,100	4,700	185	1,430	240
25	Newcastle	8,400	2,200	260	510	100
26	Norwich	8,500	2,300	265	800	150
27	Oxford	28,800	7,000	259	1,850	370
28	Peterborough	9,400	2,000	212	580	170
29	Portsmouth	8,000	1,700	213	610	90
30	Ripon & Leeds	8,900	2,100	233	510	90
31	Rochester	15,200	2,900	188	1,160	240
32	St. Albans	21,700	4,200	193	1,510	360
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	6,900	1,600	230	480	120
34	Salisbury	9,100	2,800	302	760	170
35	Sheffield	14,000	3,100	225	910	140
36	Sodor and Man	900	300	340	60	20
37	Southwark	34,900	3,900	111	1,880	350
38	Southwell	11,900	2,300	191	790	190
39	Truro	5,000	1,400	281	390	120
40	Wakefield	13,300	2,800	213	740	130
41	Winchester	14,000	3,900	278	1,110	220
42	Worcester	9,400	2,600	275	790	130
43	York	15,100	4,700	311	870	110
Totals Province of Canterbury		431,400	85,300	198	28,280	6,570
Totals Province of York		179,000	43,600	244	11,070	1,810
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		610,300	129,000	211	39,350	8,380

Comparable figures for 1997 :

Totals Province of Canterbury	428,200	91,200	213	29,200	6,260
Totals Province of York	181,800	47,800	262	11,180	1,890
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND	610,000	139,000	228	40,380	8,150

- NOTES :
1. Figures for cathedrals are included.
 2. The information in columns 4, 6 and 7 was extracted from the 1998 parochial returns. Data in columns 3 and 5 are based on statistics obtained from the Office for National Statistics (ONS).
 3. The figures in columns 6 and 7 have been rounded to the nearest 10. Other roundings in the table are to the nearest 100.

Ref. No.	Diocese	Services	Males	Females	Totals
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Bath and Wells	57	290	434	724
2	Birmingham	61	272	476	748
3	Blackburn	106	873	1,109	1,982
4	Bradford	35	190	242	432
5	Bristol	34	154	325	479
6	Canterbury	77	404	595	999
7	Carlisle	69	338	428	766
8	Chelmsford	132	627	1,106	1,733
9	Chester	123	515	873	1,388
10	Chichester	112	544	892	1,436
11	Coventry	54	214	333	547
12	Derby	53	196	399	595
13	Durham	54	288	611	899
14	Ely	43	221	298	519
15	Exeter	84	393	646	1,039
16	Gloucester	60	305	403	708
17	Guildford	53	402	446	848
18	Hereford	46	180	256	436
19	Leicester	46	192	292	484
20	Lichfield	157	643	1,028	1,671
21	Lincoln	79	298	463	761
22	Liverpool	133	535	906	1,441
23	London	203	801	1,368	2,169
24	Manchester	91	646	931	1,577
25	Newcastle	58	185	245	410
26	Norwich	44	204	291	495
27	Oxford	168	1,013	1,295	2,308
28	Peterborough	38	211	356	567
29	Portsmouth	22	140	269	409
30	Ripon & Leeds	53	238	404	642
31	Rochester	78	428	640	1,068
32	St. Albans	98	462	791	1,253
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	59	238	297	535
34	Salisbury	54	468	628	1,096
35	Sheffield	83	237	451	688
36	Sodor and Man	21	48	66	114
37	Southwark	119	530	1,041	1,571
38	Southwell	35	209	372	581
39	Truro	38	141	268	409
40	Wakefield	70	219	391	610
41	Winchester	108	342	586	928
42	Worcester	52	218	392	610
43	York	109	403	654	1,057
44	Europe	25	78	116	194
Province of Canterbury		2,227	10,631	16,614	27,145
Province of York		1,065	4,982	7,799	12,781
CHURCH OF ENGLAND		3,292	15,613	24,413	39,926

Comparable figures for 1997

Totals Province of Canterbury	2,363	10,631	17,082	27,913
Totals Province of York	1,056	4,985	7,983	12,968
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND	3,409	15,616	25,065	40,881

NOTE: Confirmations in the Armed Forces are not included.

Ref. No.	Diocese	Easter Day communicants	Easter Day communicants per 1000 population aged 15 & over	Christmas Day communicants (Note 1)	Christmas Day communicants per 1000 population aged 15 & over
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Bath and Wells	36,300	53	41,800	61
2	Birmingham	18,500	16	19,200	17
3	Blackburn	35,100	34	33,700	33
4	Bradford	13,700	26	13,900	26
5	Bristol	17,500	24	21,600	30
6	Canterbury	24,100	36	27,600	41
7	Carlisle	21,400	53	22,500	56
8	Chelmsford	41,300	19	46,200	22
9	Chester	38,100	30	41,400	32
10	Chichester	55,400	45	59,300	48
11	Coventry	17,000	28	18,700	30
12	Derby	21,400	27	22,500	28
13	Durham	23,000	19	22,400	19
14	Ely	18,300	35	21,400	41
15	Exeter	41,300	47	45,900	52
16	Gloucester	25,000	52	29,900	62
17	Guildford	29,900	39	33,300	43
18	Hereford	16,600	66	19,900	79
19	Leicester	16,600	23	18,200	25
20	Lichfield	41,100	26	44,900	28
21	Lincoln	22,800	30	26,400	35
22	Liverpool	29,400	23	28,000	22
23	London	55,200	21	56,900	21
24	Manchester	32,300	21	29,600	19
25	Newcastle	16,100	25	16,500	26
26	Norwich	27,400	41	27,700	42
27	Oxford	60,700	36	78,700	47
28	Peterborough	20,400	18	23,400	21
29	Portsmouth	18,700	32	21,600	37
30	Ripon & Leeds	19,800	31	21,300	33
31	Rochester	28,400	29	32,000	33
32	St. Albans	37,700	28	44,000	33
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	23,400	48	24,600	51
34	Salisbury	40,400	58	45,400	65
35	Sheffield	16,900	17	15,500	16
36	Sodor and Man	2,800	48	2,800	48
37	Southwark	41,900	22	48,100	25
38	Southwell	18,100	21	19,100	23
39	Truro	20,200	50	21,300	53
40	Wakefield	18,400	21	18,600	21
41	Winchester	37,700	37	43,700	43
42	Worcester	19,100	29	23,400	35
43	York	33,100	30	35,600	32
Totals Province of Canterbury		874,400	31	987,700	35
Totals Province of York		318,300	26	320,400	26
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		1,192,700	29	1,308,100	32

Comparable figures for 1997 :

Totals Province of Canterbury	855,800	31	1,025,700	37
Totals Province of York	315,900	26	318,400	26
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND	1,171,600	29	1,344,200	34

- NOTES:
1. Includes communicants at midnight services on Christmas Eve.
 2. The information in Columns 3 and 5 was extracted from the 1998 parochial returns. Data in Columns 4 and 6 are based on statistics obtained from the Office for National Statistics (ONS).
 3. Figures for cathedrals are included.

SELECTED MEMBERSHIP

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Baptisms

Year	Live births 000s	* Infant baptisms 000s	* Infant baptism rates per 1000 live births	* Baptisms of other persons 000s
1900	868	564	650	11
1910	831	573	689	16
1920	891	604	678	11
1930	607	424	699	10
1940	570	365	641	10
1950	657	441	672	9
1960	744	412	554	11
1970	745	347	466	8
1973	640	298	465	7
1980	621	226	365	40
1984	640	198	309	37
1990	670	184	275	45
1991	661	180	272	45
1992	655	170	260	46
1993	639	160	251	46
1994	632	157	249	46
1995	616	148	240	46
1996	617	141	229	47
1997	610	139	228	49
1998	610	129	211	48

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Confirmations

Year	Numbers confirmed		
	Males 000s	Females 000s	Total 000s
1	2	3	4
1900	73	108	181
1910	95	132	227
1920	83	116	199
1930	84	112	197
1940	65	79	144
1950	60	82	142
1960	78	113	191
1970	45	68	113
1973	40	61	100
1980	37	61	98
1984	31	49	80
1990	23	37	60
1991	21	34	55
1992	22	36	57
1993	20	32	52
1994	18	30	48
1995	17	27	44
1996	17	26	43
*** 1997	16	25	41
*** 1998	16	24	40

*** Figures for 1997 and 1998 include the Diocese in Europe

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Electoral Rolls

Year	Numbers on Church Electoral Rolls 000s
	1
1930	3,693
1940	3,423
1950	2,959
1960	2,882
1970	2,559
1973	2,021
1976	2,033
1978 #	1,761
1980	1,815
1982	1,814
1984 #	1,495
1990 #	1,396
1991	1,437
1992	1,459
1993	1,474
1994	1,479
1995	1,468
1996 #	1,290
*** 1997	1,325
*** 1998	1,340

COMPARISONS 1900 to 1998

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Easter and Christmas Communicants

Year	Estimated mid-year population aged 15 and over 000s	Easter Day communicants 000s	Easter Day communicant rates per 1000 population aged 15 and over	Christmas communicant rates per 1000 population aged 15 and over	
				Christmas communicants 000s	Christmas communicant rates per 1000 population aged 15 and over
1	2	3	4	5	6
1930	28,418	2,285	80	<i>Figures not available</i>	
1940	31,418	2,018	64	"	"
1950	32,319	1,867	58	"	"
1960	33,395	2,159	65	2,074	62
1970	35,450	1,632	46	1,889	48
1973	35,627	1,510	42	1,720	48
1976	36,060	1,503	42	1,695	47
1978	36,438	1,518	42	1,785	49
1980	36,924	1,551	42	1,807	49
1982	37,642	1,499	40	1,688	45
1984	38,094	1,486	39	1,742	46
1987	38,659	1,430	37	1,660	43
1989	38,934	1,362	35	1,574	40
1990	39,002	1,376	35	1,556	40
1991	38,993	1,310	34	1,590	41
1992	39,289	1,350	34	1,483	38
1993	39,414	1,317	33	1,481	38
1994	39,557	1,300	33	1,488	38
1995	39,657	1,265	32	1,393	35
1996	39,836	1,236	31	1,344	34
1997	40,013	1,172	29	1,344	34
1998	40,554	1,193	29	1,308	32

NOTES:

1. * The infant baptism figures for 1980 and later years are not directly comparable with those of previous years, because from 1978 the returns have specified infant baptisms as those under one year of age in order to relate more realistically to live births.
2. Before 1957 the minimum age for inclusion in the Electoral Roll was 18. From 1957-1980 the age was lowered to 17 after which it was reduced again to 16. Electoral Roll figures for 1982 and previous years include some cathedral rolls. These have been excluded from the figures for later years.
3. Since 1972 new rolls have been prepared every 6 years. Such years are marked with a # symbol.
4. Population figures in these tables are derived from information provided by the Office for National Statistics. Other statistics have been obtained from parochial returns and diocesan sources.
5. Figures for cathedrals and their daughter churches are included (but see Note 2).

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CHURCH ELECTORAL ROLLS AND USUAL ADULT SUNDAY ATTENDANCES

Ref. No.	Diocese	Church Electoral Rolls			Usual Sunday Attendances	
		1990	1996	1998	1997	1998
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Bath and Wells	47,300	42,700	42,500	21,500	22,400
2	Birmingham	19,900	19,300	19,500	14,600	13,700
3	Blackburn	47,000	37,400	38,300	22,000	21,600
4	Bradford	14,900	12,700	13,300	9,700	9,200
5	Bristol	22,200	19,000	20,200	13,600	13,200
6	Canterbury	21,000	21,000	21,800	15,800	16,800
7	Carlisle	25,700	24,900	25,200	12,200	11,700
8	Chelmsford	51,100	50,800	53,200	30,900	29,800
9	Chester	50,500	48,600	50,900	28,300	28,200
10	Chichester	62,700	58,200	61,400	35,200	34,800
11	Coventry	19,800	17,700	17,700	14,000	13,600
12	Derby	24,100	20,100	21,900	16,000	15,200
13	Durham	30,900	27,400	28,900	16,300	15,900
14	Ely	23,800	20,900	21,200	13,300	13,300
15	Exeter	38,000	33,900	35,000	24,800	23,600
16	Gloucester	28,400	28,300	28,900	15,700	15,500
17	Guildford	33,100	30,600	31,500	20,200	19,900
18	Hereford	20,000	18,900	19,400	9,200	8,900
19	Leicester	19,300	16,100	16,600	11,900	11,800
20	Lichfield	58,400	52,200	54,300	29,000	28,200
21	Lincoln	35,900	31,300	32,300	14,500	14,100
22	Liverpool	36,900	32,500	33,300	22,300	22,400
23	London	45,100	52,500	57,800	42,200	44,600
24	Manchester	39,300	38,000	39,500	23,700	22,900
25	Newcastle	19,500	17,500	17,800	11,400	11,000
26	Nonwich	31,100	25,900	26,700	17,500	17,200
27	Oxford	58,700	60,600	64,600	41,600	39,800
28	Peterborough	21,700	19,500	19,800	14,600	14,300
29	Portsmouth	19,500	18,000	19,200	11,500	11,300
30	Ripon & Leeds	24,600	19,300	20,100	11,900	12,100
31	Rochester	34,100	31,300	32,200	21,000	20,300
32	St. Albans	50,000	43,100	45,500	26,800	26,300
33	St. Edms & Ipswich	26,900	25,300	26,100	15,900	15,700
34	Salisbury	48,200	45,900	47,100	24,200	24,000
35	Sheffield	22,600	20,700	21,500	14,600	14,200
36	Sodor and Man	3,300	2,800	3,000	1,600	1,500
37	Southwark	46,100	45,400	46,400	28,400	27,800
38	Southwell	20,800	18,700	18,900	13,300	13,000
39	Truro	21,900	17,600	17,700	11,800	11,400
40	Wakefield	24,900	23,200	24,100	13,200	13,000
41	Winchester	44,400	42,100	43,500	25,200	24,900
42	Worcester	21,200	22,400	23,200	13,000	13,400
43	York	41,100	38,200	39,500	22,100	21,200
44	Europe	n/a	n/a	9,000	n/a	n/a
Totals Province of Canterbury		993,800	928,500	974,100	593,700	585,800
Totals Province of York		402,200	381,900	374,400	222,800	217,900
Totals CHURCH OF ENGLAND		1,396,000	1,290,400	1,348,500	816,500	803,700

NOTE Electoral Rolls are revised annually and new rolls are compiled every six years. Thus in 1990 and 1996 new electoral rolls were compiled.

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MARRIAGES IN ENGLAND* 1981 - 1997

	Number of marriages solemnised			Marriages solemnised in Church of England as a proportion per 1,000 marriages	
	Church of England*	with religious ceremonies	all marriages	with religious ceremonies	all marriages
1981	111,819	168,182	332,213	665	337
1982	110,511	166,305	323,137	665	342
1983	110,348	165,720	324,443	666	340
1984	111,248	167,761	330,012	663	337
1985	110,121	166,330	327,241	662	337
1986	111,476	168,417	328,411	662	339
1987	114,958	172,245	332,233	667	346
1988	112,184	168,535	329,183	666	341
1989	112,612	168,669	327,244	667	344
1990	109,369	163,634	312,712	668	350
1991	97,446	145,889	290,118	668	336
1992	96,828	145,418	294,962	666	328
1993	91,214	137,457	283,326	664	322
1994	86,143	130,500	275,531	660	313
1995	79,616	119,901	268,344	664	297
1996	71,392	107,827	264,191	662	270
1997	66,792	100,631	257,963	664	259

* Figures exclude Isle of Man (Sodor and Man Diocese) and Channel Islands (part of Winchester Diocese) together with a small number of Church of England parishes in Wales.

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COMBINATIONS OF PREVIOUS MARITAL CONDITION, ENGLAND & WALES 1997

Marital condition	Church of England & Church in Wales	with religious ceremonies	all marriages
All	70,310	107,020	272,536
Bachelor marrying:			
Spinster	62,109	85,678	156,907
Widow	299	455	1,290
*Divorced woman	1,904	5,525	30,071
Widower marrying:			
Spinster	281	472	1,130
Widow	713	1,211	2,761
*Divorced woman	252	654	3,538
*Divorced man marrying:			
Spinster	3,185	7,671	30,420
Widow	174	475	2,930
*Divorced woman	1,393	4,879	43,489

* no record is kept of whether the previous partner is still alive.

Source: Marriage Divorce and Adoption statistics, 1997. Crown Copyright 1999. Reproduced by permission of the Controller of HMSO and the Office for National Statistics.

Note: 1997 is the latest year for which these data are available.

These statistics have been compiled from Department for Education and Employment sources by Culham College Institute

January 1999						
Status (Note 1)	Primary		Secondary		Total	
	Schools	Pupils	Schools	Pupils	Schools	Pupils
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
C of E Controlled	2,595 14.2%	425,571 9.5%	66 1.9%	42,368 1.4%	2,661 12.2%	467,939 6.2%
C of E Aided	1,834 10.1%	340,100 7.6%	91 2.6%	71,424 2.3%	1,925 8.8%	411,524 5.4%
C of E Grant Maintained	121 0.7%	24,593 0.6%	41 1.2%	36,518 1.2%	162 0.7%	81,111 0.8%
C of E TOTAL	4,550 25.0%	790,264 17.7%	198 5.6%	150,310 4.8%	4,748 21.8%	940,574 12.4%
Other state maintained schools	13,684 75.0%	3,669,907 82.3%	3,362 94.4%	2,971,591 95.2%	17,046 78.2%	6,641,498 87.6%
TOTAL state maintained schools	18,234	4,460,171	3,560	3,121,901	21,794	7,582,072

Comparable figures for January 1997 :

C of E TOTAL	4,575 24.9%	758,191 17.8%	199 5.6%	145,857 4.8%	4,774 21.7%	904,048 12.4%
Other state maintained schools	13,817 75.1%	3,512,940 82.2%	3,370 94.4%	2,895,727 95.2%	17,187 78.3%	6,408,667 87.6%
TOTAL state maintained schools	18,392	4,271,131	3,569	3,041,584	21,961	7,312,715

NOTES :

1. i.e. County, grant maintained, and denominational and other voluntary schools.
2. Middle schools have been merged into either the Primary or the Secondary category on the basis of the DfEE designation of each school.
3. Percentage figures in a column are of the total numbers in the last row of each table.